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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL PANEL AND)
METHOD OF FABRICATING THE)
SAME)

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which anticipates the invention or which would render the same obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art. The relevance of the foreign language references is that they were cited in an international search report prepared for the international application.

Respectfully submitted,

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